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Sir:

Submitted herewith on Form PTO/SB/08 is a listing of documents known to Applicants in order to comply with Applicants' duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

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TIMING OF THE DISCLOSURE

The listed documents are being submitted in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits.

RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and make of record each listed document, and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08 be returned in accordance with M.P.E.P. §609.

Although Applicants believe that no fee is required in this context, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required for this Request to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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